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AGENDA CITY OF LAS VEGAS TREE BOARD ADVISORY MEETING GOOGLE MEET VIRTUAL MEETING FEBRUARY 22, 2022 – TUESDAY – 3:30 P.M.

The public is invited to submit written comments for public input prior to the meeting. Written comments should be submitted no later than 12:00 p.m. on February 22, 2022, addressed via email to the Parks and Recreation office at saragon@lasvegasnm.gov or alexism@lasvegasnm.gov or dropped off at 1700 N. Grand Avenue.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- IV. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>
- V. PUBLIC INPUT
- VI. COMMITTEE MEMBERS REPORT
- VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS

-Unfinished Business

- a. Michael Peranteau invitation (Main street plans for trees on Lincoln between Grand and Railroad. Plans for planting on Railroad postponed until construction meetings completed TB invited to participate)
- b. Invitation to Dr. Josh Sloan, NMHU forestry faculty to attend TB meeting
- c. Update on tree removals in Lincoln and Carnegie parks
- d. Update on tree removal on Friedman, communication with Public Utilities, (offered pruning education to Streets)
- e. Update on Tree City recertification

-New Business

- a. New city representative Mr. Arnold Lopez, Public Facilities Director
- b. Proposal to Utilities to establish tree nursery at wastewater plant (Harris Pond trees as well?)
- c. Initial plans for Arbor Day, Friday, April 29, 2022

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- d. Bringing website up to date
- e. Update from NM Urban and Community forest tree donation
- f. Discussion of encouraging the City invest in securing a long term management plan for Urban Forest that could include planned and coordinated removals where appropriate, maintenance of existing trees, periodic assessments, replanting efforts, etc. Good source for funding could be the Urban and Community Forestry Grants offered from State Forestry.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

ATTENTION PERSONS ATTENDING MEETING FOR PUBLIC INPUT: By attending the meeting you consent to photography, audio recording, video recording and its/their use for inclusion on the City of Las Vegas website and to be broadcast on YouTube.